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## **MICHAEL R. SMITH, ET AL.**

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## **REQUEST FOR CORRECTED OFFICIAL FILING RECEIPT**

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Sir:

This Request for Corrected Official Filing is submitted to correct typographical errors. A redlined copy of the Official Filing Receipt is filed herewith.

Please consider the following remarks, and issue a corrected Official Filing Receipt with the correct Domestic Priority Data.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)**

**REMARKS:**

In review of the Official Filing Receipt, the Applicants note that the Official Filing Receipt contains typographical errors in the name of the Applicants. A Declaration in the subject application was filed on 9 January 2006 listing one of the Applicants as Frank B. Stamps, the Official Filing Receipt contains a typographical error in the Applicant's last name. The Applicant's correct name is Frank B. Stamps.

The Applicants respectfully request the Commissioner to correct the Office's records to reflect the correct name for Frank B. Stamps and issue a corrected Official Filing Receipt to that effect.

In addition, the Official Filing Receipt also contains a typographical error in the Domestic Priority Data. The Domestic Priority data should be corrected to indicate that this application is a continuation-in-part (CIP) of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/965,114 filed on 26 September 2001 which claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/235,656 filed 26 September 2000.

The Official Filing Receipt indicates that the Domestic Priority data provided by applicant is not consistent with PTO records. The Applicants respectfully submit that the above corrections to the Domestic Priority data renders moot any inconsistency in the Domestic Priority data.

A redlined copy of the Official Filing Receipt is attached.

**CONCLUSION:**

In view of the foregoing remarks, the Applicants respectfully request the Commissioner to issue a corrected Official Filing Receipt with the correct Applicant's name and Domestic Priority Data.

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Respectfully submitted,

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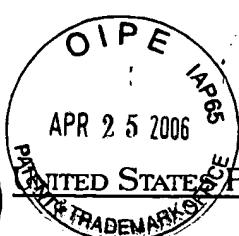
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## Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/US03/30324 09/24/2003 which claims benefit of 60/413,515 09/24/2002 and claims benefit of 60/441,907 01/22/2003 X

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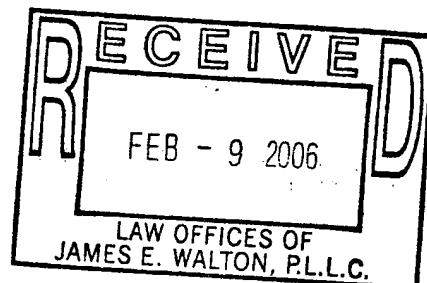
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**Title**

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